

## LACK OF GAS FOR LINOTYPE MACHINE CAUSES REDUCTION IN SIZE OF THIS ISSUE BONANZA

Owing to the lack of gas for the operating of the Bonanza linotype machine, this issue contains but four pages instead of the regular six-page publication. The gas is used for generating heat and melting the metal used for the slugs as manufactured by the machine. A constant heat is required and nearly two hours is consumed in melting the metal. With the gas off for ten minutes the metal immediately returns to the solid state.

The gas supply was shut off about 10 o'clock this morning and was not again turned on until after the noon hour. Consequently it was not until this afternoon that the linotype machine was again ready for use.

The trouble at the gas works was occasioned by the engine. Mechanists have been working for the last several days. Manager Worthington stated that the trouble was completely remedied by noon today.

## MERTEN AND CANTWELL OPEN UP RICH ORE VEIN

SECURE SENSATIONAL GOLD PANINGS FROM ORE RECENTLY DISCOVERED

Special to the Bonanza

MANHATTAN, Oct. 7.—The greatest excitement has prevailed during the past few days over a fabulous strike in the Merten and Cantwell lease on the Manhattan-Crescent, which strike, however, was forecasted in last week's installment of this correspondence.

From three egg-pans of ore gold to the amount of \$50 was panned, including that in a space of 18 inches in length by three inches wide a total of \$150 was secured in like manner.

A few days before that very rich stuff was secured a big block of schist, plastered over one side with gold, was placed on display in the window of N. M. Sisson's assay office. It excited intense interest. It came from about 12 feet back in the drift from the present face and is not a marker to later picture rock found.

Various parties who saw the specimens before panning and the gold secured therefrom afterward, declare that it was the greatest showing of that nature they ever saw in their lives. Nor were they persons new to the business of mining, but such old-time miners as W. G. Merten and Lawrence Cantwell, the lessers, and A. H. Deahl, local representative of the Crescent company.

Thursday Mr. Merten descended the shaft and secured the material with her own hands for a panning. In the pan were several dollars' worth of gold, included in which were half a dozen good sized nuggets.

Mr. Deahl panned an egg-pan of fine dirt, remarking as he began that it would go \$250 a ton. The result was easily a dollar a pound or \$2000 a ton.

The richest of the rock comes from a wide seam that crosses the drift from north to south. It is 10 to 16 inches wide, filled with spar and black manganese and is no small bunch, but apparently a fissure of the most portentous importance.

It was stated herein last week that better stuff than that then being mined was known to lie directly ahead. That statement was based on the fact that the said fissure had appeared in the discovery shaft and was pitching toward the west or in the direction of the face of the drift as it approaches the shaft. Other seams or fissures of a like character also pitch east from the shaft, hence finds like the present one are to be expected after the shaft was passed with the drift.

The distance between the working shaft and the discovery shaft is 65 feet. The drift now is within five feet of the discovery shaft.

## FEAR OF INSANITY CAUSES WOMAN'S DEATH

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 7.—Mrs. R. M. Blum, fearing she would become insane, saturated her clothes with gasoline in an apartment house today and set them afire. She was found burned to a crisp. There was little damage to the apartment from the fire.

## ROOSEVELT CONFERS WITH PERKINS AND DIXON

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—Roosevelt conferred with Perkins and Strauss today. He starts this afternoon for an 18-day middle western trip.

## GRAND LODGES PYTHIANS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

TONOPAH WOMAN IS HONORED BY GRAND TEMPLE PYTHIAN SISTERS AT RENO

Election of officers of the grand lodge, Knights of Pythias and the Grand Temple, Pythian Sisters, was held in Reno Saturday. In the Pythian Sisters Mrs. May Hunt of Tonopah was honored by being elected grand chief.

The officers elected by the Pythians follow:

F. P. Dann, Reno, grand chancellor; W. D. Hatton, Goldfield, grand vice chancellor; T. L. Beilam, Sparks, grand prelate (re-elected); S. H. Rosenthal, Reno, grand keeper of records and seal (re-elected); J. Doane, Carson City, grand master of the exchequer (re-elected); C. A. Gardner, Elko, grand master at arms; Clark J. Guild, Yerington, grand inside guard; C. E. Whitesides, Hawthorne, grand outside guard; D. P. Randall, Dayton, grand trustee.

The following are the officers to serve for the Grand Temple of the Pythian Sisters for the ensuing year:

Mrs. May Hunt, Tonopah, grand chief; Mrs. John George, Sparks, grand senior; Mrs. Maude Shaber, Sparks, grand junior; Mrs. Wilson, Reno, grand manager; Mrs. Annie Smith, Eureka, grand protector; Mrs. Allen, Verdi, grand guard; Mrs. Minnie Chrysler, Carson City, past grand chief; Mrs. E. P. Dann, Mrs. W. D. Jones and Mrs. W. H. A. Pike were elected as grand trustees.

Yerington was selected as the meeting place of both orders for next year.

## SPRECKELS PAID LA FOLLETTE TOUR IN CALIFORNIA

PRIVATE SECRETARY TESTIFIES AS TO CONTRIBUTIONS FOR CAMPAIGN

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.—Colonel Hannan, La Follette's secretary, testified before the Clapp committee today that La Follette's pre-convention receipts were \$63,965, and the expenditures \$4 less. Charles Crane contributed \$23,500, Clifford, Amos, Pinchot and Congressman Kent \$10,000 each. La Follette contributed \$1500. Crane testified he gave \$3174 more later. He said: "Rudolph Spreckels largely paid the expenses of La Follette in the California campaign."

## FOREIGN POWERS MAY PREVENT BALKAN WAR

LONDON, Oct. 7.—The Daily Mail prints a Constantinople dispatch that the powers efforts to prevent the Balkan war is believed to be successful.

## TO RECEIVE RETURNS OF BASEBALL GAMES

Local baseball fans are vitally interested in the championship baseball games, between the Boston Red Sox and the New York Giants, the first of which will be played in New York tomorrow. Several local business places will receive the returns of the games, among the number being Harry Epstein. Returns will also be received at the Bank saloon.

## XMAS PRESENT IS RECEIVED BY KENNETH BOOTH

STORK MAKES VISIT AND ON DEPARTING FORGETS TO TAKE AWAY 10-POUND BOY

The editorial staff of the Bonanza apologizes for the lack of intelligent reading matter in this issue of the paper. Of course there is a reason that is recognized by authorities as being one of the best excuses in existence. The reason is contained in the following telegram received this morning from Reno:

"Kenneth J. Booth, Tonopah.

"Ten-pound boy. Mother and baby fine."

The dispatch was short and concise but self explanatory. Something of that sort was expected by the receiver of the message so the announcement did not come as a total surprise.

The difficulties of conducting a campaign for state senator, the candidate being a firm believer in the policies of Taft, and following out the idea of Roosevelt with regard to race suicide, and at the same time issuing a daily paper, can only be understood by those familiar with such conditions.

However, apologies are again in order for the lack of intelligent reading matter in this issue, and it is hoped that it will not again be necessary to make additional apologies in the future.

Mrs. Booth and children will return to Tonopah in about a month.

## FRED SPAULDING SHOTS HIMSELF THROUGH KNEE

REVOLVER DROPS FROM POCKET AND IMPACT CAUSES DISCHARGE OF BULLET

Fred Spaulding, proprietor of the Phoenix lodging house, met with a painful accident Saturday evening. Spaulding was engaged in moving some of the furnishings of his place when a revolver dropped from his pocket to the floor. The impact discharged the weapon and the bullet entered the left knee. Fortunately the bullet missed the bone and only pierced the flesh.

Spaulding was removed to the Miners' Union hospital where his wounds were dressed. The injury will be sufficient to keep him a patient in that institution for a week or two until the wound heals.

## PROF. WILSON IS NOW SPEAKING IN COLORADO

ASSERTS EMPLOYERS ARE USING THREATS TO SECURE VOTES FOR TAFT

PUEBLO, Colo., Oct. 7.—Wilson spoke here this morning, at Colorado Springs this afternoon and Denver tonight. The governor indirectly charged Hillis with urging employers to demand their employees to support Taft under threat of losing their jobs if Wilson is elected.

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## Indicted Iron Worker Changes Plea to Guilty While Federal Attorney Makes His Statement

## STATE LABOR FEDERATION MEETS AT SAN DIEGO

CALIFORNIA FEDERATION MAY EXPRESS CONFIDENCE IN THE IRON WORKERS

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Oct. 7.—The convention of the state labor federation opened today. Delegates predict the election of D. P. Haggerty of the machinist union of San Francisco as president and Schwenberg of the sailors' union of San Francisco as secretary. W. A. Engle of Los Angeles is opposing Haggerty. The naming of Andrew Gallagher as a delegate to the general convention at Rochester is expected. It also is expected the convention will adopt a resolution of confidence in the iron workers on trial at Indianapolis.

## BEST OF MUSIC IS SECURED FOR COMING DANCE

FRATERNAL BROTHERHOOD TO HOLD PLEASANT AFFAIR THURSDAY EVENING

Thursday evening the Fraternal Brotherhood will entertain at a dance to be held at the Nevada theater. Tickets have been on sale for several weeks and from the number sold it is assured that a large crowd will be in attendance. The best of music has been secured and an enjoyable time is promised all who attend. It will be remembered that past affairs given by the Fraternal Brotherhood have always been well attended, and it is aimed to make the approaching event a success in every possible way.

## COUNTY DADS ARE NOW HOLDING MONTHLY MEET

REGULAR BATCH OF MONTHLY BILLS TO RECEIVE ATTENTION AT START

The board of county commissioners are in regular monthly session today. Many routine matters will come up, but before taking action the members of the board will first devote their time to the auditing, approving and allowing of the regular batch of monthly bills.

During the present session officials to serve at the general election next month will be appointed.

T. J. Dwyer, local agent of the Wells Fargo company, accompanied by Mrs. Dwyer, departed Saturday for the coast where they will spend the next month. During the absence of Mr. Dwyer, Dan Dunkle will have charge of the local force. Mr. Dunkle was agent here about six years ago.

D. Aspland, Goldfield agent for the Tonopah and Tidewater road, came over from the southern camp on this morning's train to attend to business matters in this city.

Captain W. G. Cotter, the Golden Arrow mining man, is in from his home district for a several days' stay to attend to business affairs.

Dr. C. J. Richards departed for Reno this morning and after a brief stay in that city will continue on to the coast.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 7.—Edward Clark of Cincinnati, business agent of the iron workers, changed his plea to guilty at this morning's session of the court.

At the opening of court Clark sat beside Marshall Schmidt. Miller announced that Clark desired to change his plea. He then pleaded guilty and sentence was deferred. Clark then joined McManigal in the marshal's office.

All of the defendants were surprised and it is believed the action resulted from Miller's denunciation

of Clark Saturday, charging that Clark had led in 12 dynamitings in and about Cleveland.

The defendants seemed uneasy and eyed each other. None were allowed to see Clark. Miller said: "Why Clark pleaded guilty is his business. If others follow, it will then be known where they stand before the judge and not before."

Miller continued his statement, detailed the Los Angeles explosions and calling Jim McNamara "one of the bloodiest murderers in history." He described the dynamiting at Salt Lake and Pittsburg.

## RED SOX AND GIANTS READY FOR BIG GAME

TWO THOUSAND FANS WAIT IN LINE FOR OPENING OF SEAT SALE

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—Arrangements have been completed for the Giants-Highlanders practice game this afternoon.

The sale of the upper grandstand seats and boxes opened today. One man arrived at the Polo grounds at midnight and there were 2000 in line by daylight. Tomorrow will be the general admission sale. The Giants' management is confident that counterfeiting and scalping has been eliminated. The Boston team arrives tonight. Wood will be their opening pitcher while the Giants' pitcher is uncertain.

BOSTON, Oct. 7.—The Boston team engaged in final practice today at Fenway park. The team started for New York at 1 o'clock, many rooters accompanying them.

## JIM M'CAMBRIDGE DEPARTS FOR HIS OLD OHIO HOME

PIONEER MINING MAN WILL SEEK CHANGE OF CLIMATE TO BETTER HEALTH

James F. McCambridge, the pioneer mining man of this district, who has been in ill health for some time past, departed this morning for his old home at Youngstown, Ohio. He was accompanied by a brother, J. D. McCambridge, who arrived here about ten days ago.

Mr. McCambridge has been a patient in the Miners' hospital for the last month and has improved considerably. His condition was such that it was deemed best that he return to his old home where it is hoped the change of climate will prove beneficial in his case.

## MANY GUNMEN ARE EJECTED FROM BECKER TRIAL

SEVERAL DAYS WILL BE CONSUMED SECURING JURY TO TRY POLICE OFFICER

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—The Becker trial started this morning and was delayed for several hours during the calling of a special grand jury. A score of peace officers ejected a number of eastside gunmen and others who were trying to enter the court room. Judge Goff denied McIntyre's postponement motion. It is expected that several days will be consumed in selecting a jury.

## PATIENTS AT MINERS HOSPITAL ARE RECOVERING

TWELVE CASES ARE NOW BEING TREATED, TEN OF THEM BEING SURGICAL NATURE

Mrs. James Cusick, who was brought in from Hot Creek about two weeks ago to receive medical treatment, and has since been confined in the Miners' hospital, underwent a minor operation yesterday. Her condition is now reported as improving and a complete recovery is looked for within a short time.

There are twelve patients now confined in the hospital. Of this number two cases are of the medical variety, the remaining ten being of a surgical nature. All are reported by the matron as progressing favorably.

Mrs. Ella Devine, after an absence of two months spent on the coast, has returned to Tonopah and resumed her duties at the Miners' Union hospital.

## SPECIAL GRAND JURY WILL PROBE POLICE FORCE

JUDGE EMPANELS INQUISITORIAL BODY BEFORE STARTING BECKER TRIAL

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—Before starting the Becker trial today Judge Goff impaneled a special grand jury to probe the police and the underworld. He questioned 50 veniremen in selecting the grand jurors, most of them seeking to escape service.

## NOW CLAIMED LA FOLLETTE WILL SUPPORT WILSON

DECLARATION MADE WISCONSIN SENATOR WILL TAKE ACTIVE PART IN CAMPAIGN

CHICAGO, Oct. 7.—The Wilson national progressive republican league issued a statement today that La Follette had declared for Wilson and will actively participate in the democratic campaign. La Follette's plans are unsettled.

## WHITCOMB RILEY OBSERVES HIS 59TH BIRTHDAY

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 7.—Whitcomb Riley was showered with letters and telegrams today his 59th birthday. He stayed at home and said he was thankful to every one for their kindness and he had not an enemy in the world. His health is better than a year ago.